

**FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION (FDA)
Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (CDER)**

*Joint Meeting of the Pulmonary-Allergy Drugs Advisory Committee (PADAC) & the
Drug Safety and Risk Management Advisory Committee (DSaRM)*

Hilton Washington, DC North/ Silver Spring

8727 Colesville Road, Silver Spring, MD

March 10-11, 2010

AGENDA

The Committees will discuss the design of medical research studies (known as “clinical trial design”) to evaluate serious asthma outcomes (such as hospitalizations, a procedure using a breathing tube known as intubation, or death) with the use of the class of asthma medications known as long acting beta-2 adrenergic agonists (LABAs) in the treatment of asthma in adults, adolescents, and children.

-DAY ONE- March 10, 2010

8:00 a.m.	Call to Order Introduction of Committee	Eric Swenson, M.D. Acting Chair, PADAC
	Conflict of Interest Statement	Kristine Khuc, Pharm.D. Designated Federal Official, PADAC
8:15 a.m.	Opening Remarks	Curtis Rosebraugh, M.D. Director, Office of Drug Evaluation II Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (CDER) FDA
8:20 a.m.	FDA Presentation Background and Trial Design Considerations	Badrul Chowdhury, M.D., Ph.D Director, Division of Pulmonary and Allergy Products CDER, FDA
		Ann McMahon, M.D. Deputy Director, Division of Pharmacovigilance I Office of Surveillance and Epidemiology, CDER, FDA
		Andrew Mosholder, M.D. Medical Officer, Division of Epidemiology, Office of Surveillance and Epidemiology, CDER, FDA
	Statistical Considerations	Benjamin Neustifter, Ph.D. Mathematical Statistician Office of Biostatistics, Division VII CDER, FDA
9:50 a.m.	Questions to FDA for Clarification	
10:05 a.m.	Break	
10:20 a.m.	FDA Presentation, cont.	

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	Drug Use Data	Grace Chai, Pharm.D. Drug Utilization Analyst Division of Epidemiology Office of Surveillance and Epidemiology, CDER, FDA
	Summary/Questions	Badrul Chowdhury, M.D., Ph.D. Director, Division of Pulmonary and Allergy Products, CDER, FDA
10:45 a.m.	Questions to FDA for Clarification	
11:00 a.m.	Sponsor Presentation Evaluating Serious Outcomes in Asthma When LABA is Added to Inhaled Corticosteroid (ICS): Study Design Approaches	GlaxoSmithKline Katherine Knobil, M.D. GlaxoSmithKline Vice President, Respiratory Medicines Development Centre
	Study Design Considerations For Rare Asthma-related Events	
	Role of Observational Study Methods: Proposed Study	Carlos Camargo, M.D., Dr.P.H. Massachusetts General Hospital Harvard Medical School
	Conclusions and Recommendations	Katherine Knobil, M.D. GlaxoSmithKline Vice President, Respiratory Medicines Development Centre
12:15 p.m.	Lunch	
1:15 p.m.	Questions to Sponsor for Clarification	
1:30 p.m.	Sponsor Presentation Design and Feasibility Assessments for a Postmarketing Safety Study for Symbicort	AstraZeneca Catherine Bonuccelli, M.D. Therapeutic Area Clinical Vice President, Respiratory & Inflammation AstraZeneca Kevin Carroll, M.Sc. VP Statistics & Chief Statistician AstraZeneca Tomas Andersson, M.D., Ph.D. Medical Science Director, Symbicort AstraZeneca

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2:45 p.m. Questions to Sponsor for Clarification

3:00 p.m. Break

3:15 p.m. **Sponsor Presentation**
Regulatory History

Novartis
Peter Fernandes, M.Pharm.
Vice President, Drug Regulatory
Affairs, Respiratory
Novartis

Foradil Safety in Asthma:
Study Proposal

Steve Pascoe, MBBS, M.Sc.
Clinical Science Unit Head,
Respiratory
Novartis

4:30 p.m. Questions to Sponsor for Clarification

5:00 p.m. Adjourn

-DAY TWO- March 11, 2010

8:00 a.m. Call to Order
Introduction of Committee

Eric Swenson, M.D.
Acting Chair, PADAC

Conflict of Interest Statement

Kristine Khuc, Pharm.D.
Designated Federal Official, PADAC

8:15 a.m. Welcome Remarks

Curtis Rosebraugh, M.D.
Director, Office of
Drug Evaluation II
CDER, FDA

8:20 a.m. Open Public Hearing

9:20 a.m. Questions for Clarification

Committee Deliberations

10:30 a.m. Break

10:45 a.m. Continue Committee Deliberations

11:45 a.m. Lunch

1:00 p.m. Continue Committee Deliberations

4:00 p.m. Adjourn